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Our Case No. 3591-1347

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Aerts	)	
Serial No.: 10/796,406	)	
Filing Date: 03/08/2004	)	Examiner: Edell, Joseph F.
For: FABRIC ATTACHMENT DEVICE	)	Group Art Unit No. : 3636
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**AMENDMENT A**

Mail Stop: Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Examiner:

In response to the outstanding Office Action mailed September 15, 2005,  
please consider the accompanying remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 2; and

Remarks begin on Page 9.